

APPLICATION PERTAINING TO AMBER LIGHT PERMITS

ELIGIBLE:

Owners or lessees of wreckers or service vehicles, bearing commercial registrations and snow removal and/or sanding equipment having a snow removal or sanding contract with a governmental agency may be considered eligible for a flashing amber light.

POSSESSION AND EXHIBITION OF PERMIT:

A permit must be in the possession of the operator at all times when the special amber identification light is displayed on the vehicle, and must be exhibited upon the request of any law enforcement official.

PERMIT VALIDITY; CANCELLATION; REVOCATION:

The special amber identification light permit is valid for four years from the date of issuance or until the termination of the contract, whichever period is shorter. The permit is non-transferable. Termination of the type of employment or service for which the permit was issued, or the sale, transfer, disposal or termination of the lease of the vehicle for which the permit was issued, automatically and immediately cancels the permit and invalidates the authority for use of such a light. The permit is to be surrendered to the Division of Motor Vehicles by the permit holder within 10 days from the cancellation or revocation.

MOUNTING OF LIGHTS:

Amber warning lights utilized on a vehicle pursuant to a permit shall be mounted so that at least one such light is clearly visible from every direction when the vehicle is being used for the type of employment or service for which the permit was issued.

USE:

For wreckers, the flashing light is restricted to operation at the scene of an accident or breakdown, while preparations are being made for vehicle removal, and while towing the vehicle from the scene to a place of storage or repair.

Service vehicles may use the light when it is necessary for the protection of the public or service vehicle personnel.

Snow removal and/or sanding vehicles may use the light only when actually engaged in snow removal or sanding operation, in accordance with the contract.